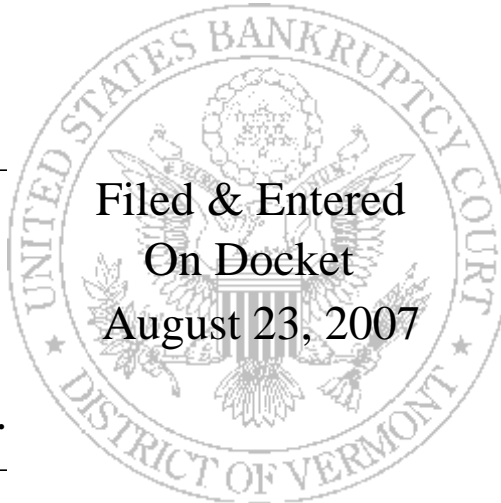


UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
DISTRICT OF VERMONT

In re:  
**JOAN SANTAMASSINO**  
**Debtor.**

**Chapter 7 Case**  
**# 05-10085**

**Joan Santamassino**  
**Plaintiff,**  
**v.**  
**New Jersey Higher Education**  
**Student Assistance Authority,**  
**Defendant.**



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**Adversary Proceeding**  
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**ORDER**  
**GRANTING PLAINTIFF'S MOTION FOR SUMMARY JUDGMENT**

For the reasons set forth in memorandum of decision of even date, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Plaintiff's motion of summary judgment is granted, and the Plaintiff's student loans to the Defendant are discharged, pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 523(a)(8).

August 23, 2007  
Rutland, Vermont

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Colleen A. Brown".

Colleen A. Brown  
United States Bankruptcy Judge